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50TH ANIVERSARY YEAR

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MEETING TIME AND PLACE The normal meeting date and times will be the first Thursday of each month at the Christ's Lutheran Church, Rt. 286, Logan Ferry Road, Murrysville. Social time will start at 7:00pm, followed by a business meeting at 7:30pm, with the program at approximately 8:00pm. **Next meeting date for 2015-2016 October 1st.**

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE *When I let go of what I am, I become what I might be. Lao Tsu*

Come see all ESAL has grown to be. Our annual show at the Boulevard Gallery opens Saturday, October 3, 6-9 p.m. Come, bring your favorite food and beverage, and let's enjoy all our wonderful talent! **People's Choice award that night:\$50 cash.** Mark your calendar for our big 50th anniversary dinner on November 14. That night we will present the first Geri and William Harlacker Award. Bring your spouse or a friend. It'll be quite an event. You don't celebrate a Golden Anniversary every year! Linda Galati

TREASURER'S REPORT PROGRAM The account balance is \$4332.85 **DUES** \$25 individual - \$30 couples

Danette Gray will present at our October 1st meeting. Her topic is **BASIC DRAWING**. Danette is an art teacher with a BS in graphic design, specializing in different types of drawing. She is certified by the PA State Board of Private Academic Schools. For the past 30 years, she has enjoyed teaching venues such as: CCAC Community Education courses, group lectures, high school art courses, and private classes.

PERMANENT EXHIBIT OPPORTUNITIES

Murrysville Library New members, especially, are encouraged to take advantage of the opportunity to exhibit, and perhaps to sell some of your work. In order to keep this display space available to us, we need to provide regular monthly exhibits, so please consider planning a show in the coming year!

Below is the schedule for the Murrysville Library exhibits for 2015. If you are listed here, please keep this list on hand, and remember to call the person whose exhibit is BEFORE yours to coordinate the change-over. If you have questions, please call or email me. Thanks to all who have signed up for this coming year! Let's all try to get over to see as many of these exhibits as possible and support our members with our positive feedback. **Barbara Jewell** 724-733-0950 or greenjewell2@juno.com

June: Karen Ferrick.....412-798-3158 **July:** Ellie Brendlinger.....724-325-2820
August: David Milanak & Larry Klukaszewski..724-889-6840 (Dave)
September: Linda Galati.....724-744-4994 **October:** Sylvia Henriquez.....724-744-6101
November: Nancy Dalverny.....412-373-071 **December:** Peter Cehily.....412-979-2953

Let's support each other's efforts by trying to visit the monthly shows and leave comments for those who have provided books for that purpose!!

Redstone Highlands

Members exhibiting 2015: July, Aug. Open **Sept., Oct** – Pam Price **Nov, Dec.** - Open

Members can sign up for 2 months in a row. Call or email Lane Neff to reserve a month for 2015. 724-309-8428 or email lbneff@aol.com. Each person assigned a month must notify the Newsletter Editor to have it appear the Newsletter.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

40th Annual Christian Art Show Sat., Nov. 7, 10am-4pm & Sun., Nov. 8, 12-4pm. at Calvary Lutheran Church, Old Wm Penn Hwy & School Rd, Murrysville. Preregistration deadline Fri., Oct. 23. Entry forms are available at the church office or call (724)327-2898 or on the web at www.calvaryLCMS.org. They are also available by calling Sue Kemper (724)327-4230 or e-mail at suznbobk@aol.com.

LET'S CELEBRATE ! Join us on Saturday, November 14 at 6pm at Jaden's for our 50th Anniversary Dinner. \$27 per person. Includes hors d'oeuvres, full buffet dinner, dessert, soft drinks, coffee and tea. BYOB Bring your spouse or a friend!

Reservation forms will be available at the October meeting and we will send a copy by email. Deadline November 5. Early reservations help us to plan. SAVE THE DATE!

Michael Rosella, is exhibiting his work, "A Photographic Retrospective", at the Boulevard Gallery from November 7 through November 28th. Opening Reception: Saturday, November 7, 2015--- 6:00-9:00 PM.
Boulevard Gallery 736 Allegheny River Blvd. Verona, PA Regular Gallery Hours: Friday & Saturday 12:00- 4 :00 PM
www.BoulevardGallery.com 412-828-1031

The issue of ESAL domain names, websites, blogs or Facebook pages will be discussed at the October 1st meeting. Meanwhile, Bob Bickers has set up a free website for ESAL which everyone should try to review before the meeting. Try looking at it on a PC as well as your cell phones. It can be found at:
<http://EastSuburbanArtistsLeague.weebly.com> (all small caps will work just fine). Questions will be addressed at the meeting.

Membership Dues for 2015-2016 Year

ESALities can forward their membership dues for this year to: Peter Cehily, 112 Cehily, Road, New Kensington, PA 15068 or bring them to the October meeting. Dues are \$25 for one member and \$30 for a couple.

In an effort to keep our membership information up to date please forward any changes or updates to your contact information (address, email, phone numbers, Websites) to ptcehily@consolidated.net or send updates to the above address

ESAL's FALL WORKSHOP WILL BE HELD AT CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH ON Saturday (9am to 3pm) OCTOBER 10th with PLEIN AIR watercolor ARTIST David Czont. More info & registration to follow. David is also our program presenter at the Oct.1st meeting .

Pam Price has her painting, "Sister Sailors" juried into the 69th Aqueous Open of the Pittsburgh Watercolor Society. The opening reception is Saturday October 3rd, from 5 to 8pm at the Spinning Plate Gallery, 5821 Baum Blvd. She was also awarded prizes at the Penn Hills Art Festival and the Monroeville Arts Council show held this summer.

Terri Bertha, Joyce Clohecy, Lynn Jacques, Trudy Johns & Patti Giordano are exhibiting at the Peoples Library in New Kensington August - October

ESAL volunteers are needed.

We're looking for a few friendly faces. We won't work anyone too hard.

The Social Committee needs a co-chair to coordinate snacks and drinks for meetings and shows. Jan says it's easy. Could someone please join the team?

We need a Publicity chair. Thanks, Terry, for all you did! Job includes disseminating info on meetings and guest speakers. Patti makes that easy, and guidance is offered to set things up.

Questions? Generous volunteers? Contact Linda Galati. 724-744-4994 or lingalati@windstream.net

Boyce Show Reminder: Pick-up of artwork September 26 from 9:30 - 10:30 AM.

ESAL's show at the **Boulevard Gallery** will be the month of Oct. 2015. Drop Off Sept. 28th- 11am. Pick Up Nov. 2 - 11am.

Go to Boulevard Gallery's website at www.BoulevardGallery.com or call 412-828-1031 for additional information.

Gallery located at 736 Allegheny River Blvd., Verona, PA - Regular Gallery Hours: Fridays & Saturdays • 12:00 - 4:00 pm
The Different Strokes Gallery is featuring **Anne Michele Lyons** (photography) & **Gloria Tutera** (multimedia).

MEMBER'S WEB SITES: An email to the Editor (glsarti@comcast.net) indicating your web site address will have it listed in future Newsletters for the enjoyment of ESAL members.

Gordon Sarti - wonders-of-nature.artistwebsites.com **Bob Patterson**- Pattersonimages.net

Barbara Jewell - barbara-jewell.fineartamerica.com **Marci Mason** - www.marciart.net **ESAL**-esal.wikispaces.com

Arlene Holtz - www.arlenholtz.com **Eileen Kopelman**- www.pittsburghartistregistry.org/accounts/view/EileenKopelman

Bob Bickers - bobbickers.net & fineartbybobbickers.blogspot.com **Ellen Spain** - www.ellenspain.com

Michelle Vecchio - www.michellevecchio.com **Sally Wightkin** - www.sallywightkin.com

EDITOR'S CORNER: Remember everyone, to receive the monthly Newsletter you must have an accurate and up to date email address. Right now there are 13 exceptions. These are members who don't have a computer. They receive the Newsletter via the USPS. Send any email changes to glsarti@comcast.net and it will be forwarded to the Membership Chair to keep the official record updated. All submissions should be a Veranda font size 8 or 9. **A reminder: All paid memebrrs will receive the official memebrrship list from the Memebrrship Chairperson via email. The personal contact information of each member is considered confidential and is not to be shared with non-paid members.** The first newsletter for the 2015-2016 year will be published near the end of August, 2015.